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SUBJECT: RWANDA WAR CRIMES - TANZANIA'S POSITION

REF A) 94 STATE 198848
B) 94 DAR ES SALAAM 4015

1. CONFIDENTIAL ENTIRE TEXT.

2. MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS RWEGASIRA REITERATED THE POSITION ON RWANDAN WAR CRIMINALS EXPRESSED LAST WEEK BY MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS MREMA: TANZANIA IS WILLING TO COOPERATE "FULLY" WITH THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY IN BRINGING TO JUSTICE RWANDANS GUILTY OF GENOCIDE AND WAR CRIMES. HOWEVER, THE GOT IS NOT PREPARED TO DETAIN ALLEGED CRIMINALS UNTIL THE U.N., THE COMMISSION OF EXPERTS OR THE TRIBUNAL IDENTIFIES THE SUSPECTS AND REQUESTS THE GOT TO HOLD THE SUSPECTS.

3. THE MINISTER INSISTED THAT THE U.N. IMPRIMATUR IS CRITICAL TO THE SUCCESS OF THE PROCESS. WITHOUT IT, THE GOVERNMENT OF TANZANIA COULD BE ACCUSED OF CONTRIBUTING TO THE CYCLE OF RETRIBUTION.

4. RWEGASIRA ALSO ENDORSED MINISTER MREMA'S CALL FOR ASSISTANCE IN BOLSTERING SECURITY IN THE CAMPS BEFORE DETAINING ANY ALLEGED CRIMINALS (REF B). THE TANZANIAN GOVERNMENT'S ABILITY TO

INCREASE SECURITY IN THE CAMPS IS EXTREMELY LIMITED. BROWNING

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